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In re application of: Boney Mathew, et al.

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For: METHOD OF MAKING FLUOROCARBON COATED BRAIDED HOSE
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

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This is in response to the Office Action dated July 31, 2002, Paper Number 18. Please enter the following amendments to the application in order to place the application in condition for allowance or at least in better condition for appeal. Please amend the application consistent with the instructions found attached hereto: